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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of James H. "Jack" Johnson of Beach Park, 4 who passed away on July 14, 2017; and
- 5 WHEREAS, James Johnson was born in McLeansboro to Thomas 6 and Stella (Russell) Johnson on July 19, 1926; and
- WHEREAS, James Johnson retired from Abbott Labs after 42 years; and
- 9 WHEREAS, James Johnson and his wife traveled extensively
 10 worldwide with the Chuck Paxton's Senior Park District Travel
 11 Club; he also enjoyed traveling domestically, following his
 12 grandchildren's sporting events; he was a member of Meadowridge
 13 Baptist Church in Zion; and
- 14 WHEREAS, James Johnson was preceded in death by his 15 grandson, Brent Charles Johnson; his sisters, Hallie, Ruby, and 16 Chloe; and his parents; and
- WHEREAS, James Johnson is survived by his wife of over 70 years, Charlotte Mae Johnson; his children, Dennis (Ann)

 Johnson, Charles T. (Emily) Johnson, and Dianne (Eddie) Moore;

 his grandchildren, Andrew (Sherra) Johnson, Benjamin

- 1 (Dawnelda) Johnson, Christin (Rob) Nichols, Dawn (Brent)
- 2 McKown, Tiffany (Guy) Meikel, Adam (Deborah) Johnson, Nichole
- 3 (Jim) McAskin, and Rebecca Moore; 20 great-grandchildren; and
- 4 numerous nieces and nephews; therefore, be it
- 5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 7 James H. "Jack" Johnson, and extend our sincere condolences to
- 8 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 9 further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to the family of James Johnson as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.